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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of January 18, 2007, the period for response extending until April 18, 2007, reconsideration of this action and allowance of all the claims of the present application are respectfully requested and are now believed appropriate in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

An *Appendix* including the Replacement sheets is attached following this paper.